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UNDERTAKERS.

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TOWNSHEND-Dr. Smith Townshend, after a lingering illness of long duration, died at 3.30 this a, m., at 408 Sixth street northwest, from second stroke of paralysis. Notice of funeral hereafter.

WORMLEY-On Tuesday, February 25, 56. Relecca H., beloved wife of Garrett 1896, Rebecca H., beloved wife of Garrett N. Wormley. Funeral Thursday, 3 p. m., from St. Luke's Church.

BURKE—On February 23, 1896, at 4:05 a. m. after a long and pulnful lilness, fagure C. Burke, aged twenty-one years. Faneral from late residence, 1525 Thirty-lard street northwest, February 26, at

2 p. in.
Where our precious darling's now dwelling,
Free from all earthly cares,
With her garments spotless and shining.
Like the robes that the angels wear.
When our pligrimage here is completed
And our footsteps no longer roam;
By the pearly gates, gladly waiting,
She will give us a welcome home.
BY HER SISTER.

GROSSKURTH—On Monday, February 24, 1896, at 6 a. m., Emma, beloved daugher of William and Emma Grosskurth, aged two years, eleven months, and twelve days.
Funcral from 420 Eleventh street southeast, on Wednesday, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends laytied to attend.
LONGLEY-On Sunday, February 28, 1896, at 2:10 p. m., Aloer T. Longley, aged seventy-four years.
Funeral from Eastern Presbyterian Church Wednesday, February 26, at 2:30 p. m.



ings of any sort," she says. She also senst

s her dictum.

clude tasteful and becoming dress, "It does

not cost any more to dress in good taste,

and with a due regard to neatness, than

it does to wear gowns in a slovenly way,"

PASTEUR was one of the great men who

attributed his success partly to his wife. When he was investigating the silk-worm

examine the condition of the tiny egg. It

was work never before undertaken by women. The greatest patience and care

were required to select and isolate the un-

contaminated eggs. Pasteur in his private

life would often refer to his wife and daughter as sharing the honor of the great discovery and vast labor which restored wealth to an almost ruined country and

SOME of the lodges of Massachusett

and Connecticut are about to admit women to full membership.p What is going to be

done about those sacred secrets? Women

are not going to be put off with any sham

membership after so many years of patient

MRS. HARRY K. TETSUKA, who was

he first Chicago girl to marry a Japanese,

has ber drawing rooms adorned with portieres over 200 years old, brought from

old temples in Japan. Mrs. Tetsuka uses the chopsticks like a native, and is espe-

WHEN very old, Mrs. Depew knew "Mar-

mion" and "The Lady of the Lake" by heart. Her father was an able orator.

She read what is called "general liter-

ature" very extensively. Her memory was

phenomenal. Chauncey Depew seems to be the result of heredity on the mother's

the reasonable belief that nothing was

half years she has been furnishing print-

a nickel a week, and some 40,000 aprons

and 25,000 nickels pass through her hands

inthecourse of the year. Four times a week

she drives downtown from her home, 5225

Bishop street, on her errand of cicanliness. She is the wife of Tony Kennedy, who

well known to the older members of

Typographical Union. Tony is selling the Record at Ashland avenue and Forty

ninth street, and frequenters of that neigh

borhood are familiar with his humorous

THE Princess of Wales, to the great dis

emfort of whoever may be acting as the

maid-in-waiting, never puts herself at

ease in traveling. Hours after hours she

thinks of removing her bonnet or lying down. She attributes the habit to her rigid

bring up, and in speaking of it recently said to a friend: "We were never allowed

to lie down during the daytime when we

were children, for fear of making ourselves

untidy, and I am so accustomed to the

habit now that I should never dream of

emoving my bonnet while on a journey.'

LITTLE Grand Duchess Olga of Russi

was taken from the Alexander Palace to be

christened at Zarskoe Selo in a state

carriage built in 1709 for Catherine I. It

avily gilt, decorated with the

press' monogram and lined with red velvet

The harness is studded with diamond

Alexander II in 1856, and at that of Alex

The coach was used at the coronation of

THE Duchess of Marlborough has the

ongest throat in fashionable Christendom It is even longer than Sarah Bernhardt's

PRINCESS EULALIA is very fond o

pink, and nearly all her gowns made in Paris this season contain a dash of some shade of that color. Pink has also

greatly predominated in the brilliant gowns

are pinks and pinks, and it should never be

forgotten that the yellowish salmon shades

SARAH ORNE JEWETT lives in an

ideally lovely home in Berwick, Me. It is a colonial house, with old mahogany fur-

nishings, huge tile fireplaces, old silver china and glass, and quaint pieces of brie

a-brac, such as scafaring men of long ago used to bring home from foreign lands.

BODICE, BLOUSE, AND WAIST.

HERE are velvet bodices galore this

stead of encircling the neck, is fastened to the bodice just above the shoulder seam, so

that it answers the purpose of an epanlette as well as a collar. A lace waist band, a

lace bow at the neck and deep lace frills

finishing the sleeves, complete the bodice.

AN idea which will find favor with

aesthetics is the making of blouse waists from the enormous silk banderkebiefs so

much used abroad and so little known in

three-quarters of a yard square; the border

is wide and usually of some rather strong but pretty color, while the center is cov-

ered with a fine "palm leaf" pattern,

which is so effective in any all-over design

AN exceedingly odd and attractive waist

for evening wear is of white brocaded silk and a delicate yellow chiffon. The chiffon

is gathered to form the collar, vest and yoke. Pretty shoulder pieces of the silk, slashed and embroidered with gold thread, make a charming framework for the soft.

delicate chiffon. Sleeves to the elbow, a

His Privilege

"This is leap year, you know," said

have most of the evening waists.

The young man leaped .- Judge.

season, but the newest is given an

The collar is of Lear lace, and in-

addedair of elegance by the addition

are for brunettes only.

onable New York weddings. There

beyond the powers of ber son Chauncey.

New York World.

cially fond of Japanese cooking.

joy to a despairing people.

Chevy Chase Event Saturday Next Promises Much to Fashionables.

IN THE WORLD OF SOCIETY

Athletic Sports Will Engage the Young Folks-Savings and Doings of the Day.

The tea to be given at Chevy Chase Saturday evening next is looked forward to by society as one of the very pleasant decorated prettily and music will be fur-

Gests will ride, drive or wheel to the rendezvous, feeling justified in any amount of joility after a week of picty and prayer. The "living pictures" arranged by cer-

tain charitable ladies for a benefit per-formance on March 12 will no doubt engage the presence of all the prominent young people in society.

Those who have been hoping for a skating carnival and planning a micareme festival at the rink will be disappointed, but no loubt will yield their dearest wish grace The Washington Social Club gave its an-

oual entertainment and banquet at its ball, on Ninth street, last Saturday evening. The entertainment was opened by a musical pro gram fornished by Mr. Charles Murphy, the inger and comedian, and the Mandolin and Banjo Quartet, composed of Messrs. Mc-Facelen, Kirkin, Dougherty and Murphy. Miss May Kocknauer read Washington's Farewell Address and also "Paul Revere" Ride," with telling effect.

Ex-State Senator John D. Cunningham of Cambridge, Mass., with cloquence re-sponded to the toast "The Day We Cele-brate." Mr. James J. McGrain responded to the toast "The Condition of the National Pinances of 1776 Compared with 1896. Mr. John D. Brennan of the Young Men's Catholic Club responded for the ladies. Mr. Daniel J. Sullivan acted as toast master. Among those present were Mrs. and Miss Hinckey, Miss Schiffner, the Misses Mulindey, Miss Henley, Miss Lizzie Donahue, the Misses O'Leary, Mrs. Furnace, Mr. Furnace, Mrs. Post and son, Mrs. and Miss Kocknauer, Mr. and Mrs. McFadden, Miss Lillie Heller, Mr. and Mrs. John D. Cunning ham, Mr. and Mrs. James P. McGain, Mr. and Mrs. John D. McCarthy, Mr. Thomas P. Dean and Mr. and Mrs. Beha. Messrs, Daniel Murphy and Charles Katoocher, of the Kuights of Columbus, were also present.

Mrs. J. Morrison Slarrow, No. 1112 E street southeast, will be at home informally Wednesday, February 26, from 3 to 5.

left yesterday for a few weeks' visit with friends in Philadelphia.

Miss Rae Burnstine is visiting friends in

CRITTENTON NU USERY TEA.

Generous Remembrance of Little Tots by Charitable Ladies.

The seventeen little ones who now find omfort and care under the bospitable roof of the Florence Crittenton Hope and Help Mission were generously rema yesterday afternoon and evening at the tea given for the benefit of the nursery of that ommendable charity.

The bome was thrown open to visitors from 4 to 9 o'clock p. m., and the tea table was made attractive by deft fingers, supdemented by decorated china and silver caned by the treasurer, Mr. Thomas Jarvis. That it is not only the poor who sympa hise with this work was evidenced by the nany cerriages which stopped at the mission with ladies from elegant bomes, who

left blessings behind them.

Mrs. 8. M. Newman sent out her own personal cards of invitation, thus en-listing many whose attention has not been specially called to the mission; the result of which was the very practical decision to furnish a large room on the third floor, adjoining the nursery. Soft blankets of dainty bine and white, baby dresses, socks, gowns, blbs, and a generous supply of cash from the guests made the hearts of the home management committee rejoice nd once more they express thanks to the benevolent people of Washington for sup-

Among those receiving were Mrs. E. K Flech, the matron; Mrs. 8. M. Newman, Mrs. La Fetra, Mrs. Callin, Mrs. Knowles, Miss Rector, Mrs. Alfred Wood, Mrs. Trotter Mrs. Sumpter and others.

Jewel Embroidery. Jewel embroidery is all the rage just now. As it name indicates, it is intended to represent gems. To this end the ova space marked for the jewel is first filled in with cotton, so as to give the desirable raised effect. The "jewels" are then vorked in turquoise blue, ruby red, enameled green, sapphire or topaz. Each of is set in an outline of gold-colored silk, and they are linked together with slen-der chains in outline stitch. The effect is admirable on the fine linen generally used for centerpieces. New York Mercury.

Early Morning Blaze in Philadelphia tures and refrigerator manufactory of P P. Steel, at Nos. 914, 916, and 918 Girard avenue, was damaged by fire this morning to the extent of \$15,000. The loss is covered by insurance. The origin is

Fresh Laid Eggs.

You cannot improve on a nice fresh egg—throuble is to get fresh ones. We look after het. Our Fancy Eggs are put up in one doze atent pocket boxes, and every egg is guaran pocket boxes, and every sh. The price is no high inferior qualities.

WILKINS & COMPANY.

THE HOUSEWIPE SPEAKS.

ALERATUS wetted and applied immediately in the best thing in the world for a burn. It will prevent

TO improve starch add a tablespoonful of epsom salts and dissolve in the usual way by boiling. Articles starched with this will be stiffer and rendered to a cer-

IF you dip your broom in clean, hot suds once a week, then shake it until it is almost dry, then hang it up or stand it with the handle down, it will last twice as long as it would without this operation.

LETTUCE is the best salad to serve with fish, but all cooked and cold vegetables go well with fish.

BEFORE beginning to seed raisins cover them with hot water and let them stand for fifteen minutes. The seeds can then be removed easily.

add two tablespoonfuls of best liquid am-monia. This will immediately remove all grease and perspiration without rubbing, which must be avoided. After lightly wringing pass through two separate quantities of lukewarm water. Dry immediately—if daughter were his devoted helpmates, giv-log up pleasures and sometimes duties to watch the growth of the little insect and possible, in the open air—and iron them when half dry. Washing out quickly is par-ticularly advised, as it prevents them from



colored satin and purple velvet. It is exceedingly stylish for one whose shoulders are plump enough to stand the severe line. ves are slashed up to the shoul der on the inside, showing the arm. The satin droops slightly over a crush beit of THE PERSON NAMED IN

side. Her name was Martha Mitchell, and her grandfather, Judge Johnson, was Cause to Fear That This Domestic very rich. He owned Lake Mahopae, Art Is Growing Obselete.

lived to a good old age, and died happy in sewing will become one of the lost arts, and that it will be with women as with fuen, only those whose sole profession it is can handily hold a needle. As women grow more and more like men in their attachments and profes MRS. KENNEDY, with her bundle of sions, this may be specessity of the change. aprons, is an ever-welcome visitor in the printing offices of Chicago. For two and Ready-made clothing, and even mending and darning, done in the shops, help all ers with clean aprons for the modest sum of this along, as well as the multifurious other

upon which she was born, and much of the HERE is a real danger that fine ear-by country. She studied all ber life,

At CLARK'S.

TO wash woolens, place in warm soap water, and to about four gallons of water



PINE SEWING.

We have a large lot of very fine Novelty Brilliantine Skirts, lined all through and very wide. They are fully worth \$3. Our price,

\$1.49.

CLARK'S

734-736 7th St

HELPPUL HINTS.

TITHEN fish is boiled save some of the water it was cooked in to make the sauce for it. This water may also serve for a fish soup.

AT ANY time when the cook requires the white of an egg and not the yolk, break the shell carefully and drop the untouched yolk into a cup of cold water. Here it will keep for several days if necessary, to be used when required.

USE A SPONGE in cleaning paint in preference to a cloth. It saves time, and painters claim the result is much more

DURING the cold weather use alcohol to wash windows. This will prevent the windows from freezing and also give them

THERE should be at all times and all seasons a free current of air in the pantry The window may be opened on a crack and a piece of flannel natled along the frame and then nalled to the lower sash.

A VERY pretty coloring for kitchen walls is the pink shade obtained by dissolving in water and then adding enough to permanganate of potash to give it the desired color. Apply with a whitewash brush. It looks ell and is cheap.

IT is economical to buy winter vegetables. such as potatoes, carrots and turnips, in large quantities, if you have the proper place to keep them in; otherwise, it is folly. All eich will keen for an almost indefinite time if packed in a box and covered with sand. -:0:-

LEMON Juice, sweetened with loaf or rashed sugar, will refleve a cough.

FOR feverishness and an unnatural thirst soften a lemon by rolling on a hard surface, cut off the top, add sugar and work it down into the lemon with a fork, then suck it

DOORS and farniture easily become finger marked. Try rubbing them with chamois leather moistened with cold water, and then polish with a mixture composed of two parts of sweet oil and one part of turpentine.

YOUNG FLESH VS. OLD SKIN.

OW many, many women there are who have exquisite shoulders at the back, but who dare not wear a decollete gown for fear of showing the nasty little bones at the front. It is such a funny idea, this rule that



ould be better off without her husband, wouldn't she?" Mand: "I should say so. His life is insured for \$50,000."

duties which press upon a little girl's atention, which absorb her later years, and which leave her, as a woman, scan and little knowledge to "take a stitch" for berself or for others. She, in turn, is not competent to in-

struct her children, and so the evil exends, and has even now extended until one sees comparatively few women any who can do the exquisite sewing which was common before the days of the machine. Yet there are certain things which cannot be well done by machine and which cost enormously if one goes to the city beadquarters for them. She who is a perfect mistress of felling and hemming, tucking and gathering, should in this day be able to turn her talent to account. Not only may she establish a sewing class for and impart to the knowledge which she possesses, but she may also make a specialty of dolls' wardrobes, of bauses' layettes, of children's clothing and of bridal outfits. There is in a Southern city a woman wh come is derived from the infants' line wardrobes which she prepares. Ther is no reason why her example should not be followed elsewhere.

THE DAY'S DISH.

Macaroni With Oysters. OUR boiling water over about half-pound macaroni and boil until done. Then in your baking dish put a layer of macaroni and a layer of oysters alternately. Sprinkle each layer with pepper and salt, and drop pieces of butter here and there. On top spread bread crumbs moistened with beaten egg. Fifty oysters will be sufficient; add the liquor of the cysters also. Bake a light brown in a but over brown in a hot oven.

Waterproof Crape.

By some new process crape is now made waterproof. This does away with that one ion to its wear, that it is so easily spotted, or was rendered stringy and solied. Two other objections are still in cos. It is unwholsome and it is expen-mate. It might be added that it is needmiy lugubrione, even for mourning, which a never be exactly cheerful. objects to a young girl wearing a really decollete gown, when thereby she might display her fresh, young, pretty flesh, and be a genuine joy to all who behold her, but which allows and enjoins the grizzled old woman to lay bare an expanse of withered. a lot of fat wobbling over the edge of the

Why not reverse the order of things and let the pretty young women have they, too, are relegated to the army of

ess sake, why don't they use onlone?

Onions for Diphtheria "Why don't they use onions? For good

Where do they live? I will go up there to Buch were the exclamations of our mother when we reported at dinner that a child of Mr. G. W. Dudiey was dead, and the whole family, including himself, alarmingly sick with diphtheria. Mother was moved to these carnest and interested expressions by a firm belief that she knows several lives saved by the cases raw onlons were placed in a han dage and beaten into a pulp, the cloths, containing onions, juice and all, being then bound about the throat and well up over the ears. Renewals may be made as often as the mass becomes dry. In the cases noticed the result was aimost magical, deadly pain yielding in a short time to sleepy comfort. We wish this remedy might have a wide enough

His Great Mistake.

vers Mirror.

to fully test its usefulness.-Dan-

The Wife-When you proposed to me, John, did you think I would accept you? The Husband-Not the first time

"I wasn't going to propose but once."-

The year's supply of best butter donated to Hebrew Fair by Gibtons, butter dealer, was awarded to Mrs. H. Bernbeiner, 714 B street northwest, on ticket No. 1397,

DO YOU CHEW GUM?

Our Mouths Show That We Area Gum-

Chewing Nation.

WENTY million of dollars! That is our annual gum bill, and the majority of chewers are young women and girls. We expend eight million a year more on gum than we give for the maintenance of the clergy of all denominations, and the entire revenue from fermented liquors only exceeds the chewing gum limit by a paltry three million -and yet we are a church-going nation

And we are beginning to show for it.

Gum-cherwers have always very large nouths. This is because the muscles of the mouth stretch from constant chewing. They are pulled out of shape until, like clas-tic which has been stretched too much. they will not go back to their origina bape and size. The mouth then becomes

spread out in a wide, unsightly way.

The stupid, gaping expression that so many gum-chewers have is owing to the nuscles known as the buccinators. These control the action of the jaws, and when they are relaxed, the mouth cannot, except by the most strengous efforts, be kept closed. This is why an habitual gumchewer's mouth is always hanging open. The relaxation of the buccinator muscles allow the lower lip to drop, giving the lip

thick, heavy look.

The thickening of the lips is one of the first evidences that the gum is having effect. It will then be noticed that the color of the tissue is beginning to darken. What have perhaps been "cherry lips" will become grayish blue or purple, owing to the too frequent return of the blood to the surface on account of the excessive exercise And still those dreadful creatures who put us into statistics tell as that the gum trade is growing at a frightful speed.

FOR LENTEN WEAR.

Many of the new spring jackets will be made with a velvet vest. A novelty which has just reached town is made of dove



gray broadcloth, tight-fitting and showing decidedly rippled basque. The vest and Medici collar are of black velvet, and narrow bands of the velvet wander down the cloth sheeve.

BELLA'S FIRST BALL

She, Like Every Other Girl, Finds It a Delusion. N those novels dear to bella's heart,

when the heroine-always a debu-tante-"enters the room," "a murmur of admiration" arises and follows her as she passes through the glittering throng. She is quite unconscious of her own beauty, and never dreams that she has aroused this enthusiasm, and looks about her with the innocent gaze of a child and meets a pair of dark eyes fixed upon her face, and worders why her beart begins

to beat so wildly. Now, Bella, of course, is not so foolish as to consider herself beautiful, but she did raper expect to find berself unconscious of her charms-just a little, you know. Quite a low mumur would have satisfied her, but there was no mumur at all. No one seemed to be aware of her arrival, except a few people whom she knew already and despised accordingly. So that when the oung men asked for dances she was no in the least pleased, and when new men were introduced they were only some common place brother or cousin of some acquaint

Poor Bella! She expected too much, and was as sure of disappointment as is the little boy on his way to his first circus, who, desee a giant fifty feet high, and is at last in-

four feet taller than his own father. The world is all a fleeting show to him, as it is to Bella on the morning after her first ball, as it is to every girl at every ball until a certain person appears. Then all is

"What makes the assembly shine? Robin What makes the ball so fine? Robin Adair." A ball, poor Bella, is never anything worth

TAILOR-MADE DOGS.

while to any girl until Robin Adair "is

OCIETY canines change their cos tumes in these days almost as fre quently as their owners. They have linen blankets to keep off the dust of travel, tartans for sea voyages, rubber wraps for rainy days, and light wool blankets for the seashore. It is the fashion now to put several pockets in these articles of canine apparel, one for the dog's railway ticket when he travels, another for his rush, another for the tiny handkerchief with which to wipe his cold, damp nose during the season of snow and influenza,

The imagination of the "dogs' tailors' has soured far above blankets, however, This year has seen the inauguration of elaborate sets of lingerie for these fourfooted favorites of fortune, and no self respecting dog possesses less than a dozen chemises made of fine batiste, or if he is especially high-toned and subject to hysteria or colle, of silk or satin. This sounds like a bit of fiction, yet its truth is vouched for by one of the oldest and most staid of Parisian newspapers.

The shoeing of their canine customer has been another problem with which the "dog tailors" have coped successfully. Every one knows what unsightly tracks a dog with moddy feet will make when he ands over a light-colored carpet on his return from a promenade in thedampstreets was to attach unsightly leather shoes to the dog's feet, which absorbed most of the animal's attention when out walking, and

KING'S PALACE Specials for Tuesday.

We call attention to the following low-prices items, specially cut for one day only Bon's fail to attend the showing of auti-Spring Novab-ites in Millinery.

Drawer Bodices. One lot of Children's Jean Draw-r Waists, with two rows of patent buttons, reinforced, regular 50c. quality, at.... 25e

Vests.

hem tucks above, excellent cotton, regular 25c. quality, at.... 18c

Belts.

Latest assortment of Gold Tinsel nd Silver Belts, regular 50c. quality, at.... 250

Neckwear. Elegant assortment of Persian Col-

large bows in back, regular 75c. quality, at 390 Handkerchiefs.

Pifty dozen Ladies' Colored Bor-dered Handkerchiefs, regular 12 1-2c. quality, at

King's Palace, 812-814 Seventh Street,

715 Market Space.

Oh!

What a week! Crowds of cash buyers - crowds of credit buyers-have swarmed overthese six floors during the past week-but the great below cost sale of furniture ENDS next Saturday night. Don't

yor monthly payments-no notes or interest. Carnets mede and laid FREE!

you MI-S II! Week-

----adays, when the weather is damp, he wears

819-821-823 7th St. N. W.

thought after the first gust of amazement. These tiny goloshes are really a sensible idea, for they can be readily cleaned.

a flexible rubber shoc that causes him no

INFORMAL ENTERTAINMENTS.

Inexpensive and Attractive Little Menus for Luncheons and Parties. ENUS for informal whist parties, luncheons, musicales and the like, are often asked for. Limit the guests to twelve and you can limit the price for suppers and simple

luncheons to \$5, adding \$2 or \$3 for more elaborate luncheons. But before the meal is served, there must be a little talk about some of its

points and some of the necessary prepara There need never be at a simple entertainment more than one important dish, says the Philadelphia Ledger, if there is added to it plenty of bread and butter, or sandwiches or crackers, and some drink, harmless enough to be abundant, such as coffee, chocolate, "children's punch" or claret cup. The little dainties, the fancy groceries, the bonbons, which add variety to the feast, are all expensive, and will soon push you over your limit, so in providing them look well to your purse corners. For a card party the chafing-dish is a friend in need; with it or without it, the following menu may be prepared: Panned oysters, celery, potato salad, crackers, cheese, olives, ice cream, sponge cake, coffee. Here is another, when lebsters are in season: Lobster a la Newburg, rasped rolls, celery salad, tongue, crackers, cheese, brandled peaches, lady fingers, coffee. And another: Mushroomsin cases, thin bread

and butter, salted almonds, sweetbread salad, crackers, cheese, claret cup. For the luncheon great care must be exer-cised to make the table look pretty. Almost any woman can, in these days, have a pretty table, for neither lines nor china, in fair

quality and artistic patterns, is any longer out of the reach of modest purses. On the white cloth put but one single piece of embroidered linen, and put that in the middle of the fruits or flowers. Use a low plate for your decorations, and feet proud and happy if it be one of the brast platters which your grandmother used to rub till she could see her face in it. Allow some trailing plants—smilax will do, though tvy is better—to escape from this and mean ler over towards the corners of the table.

This is another excellent menu: Bouil-Ion in cups, oyster patties, sweetbread and peas, chops and potato croquettes, lebtuce and mayonnaise sauce, crackers, cheese, olives, nesselrode pudding, coffee. If you can get grape fruit use this: Grape fruit, broiled oysters on toast, partridges, current jelly, celery salad, crackers, cheese, almonds, bonbons, charlotte russe, coffee

This is beautiful in effect, and inexpensive.

For this menu the grape fruit is cut in half, each guest is served with a half, over the cut surface of which brandy and powdered sugar has been heaped, the pulp having been carefully cut loose from the rind and us corefully scored with a sharp knife, so that the julce can be readily taken up with a

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